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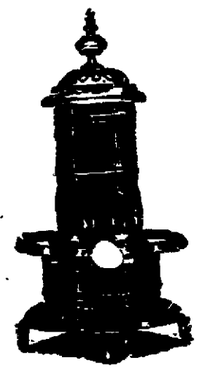
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CIVIL ENGINEER'S REPORT.

Specifications Recommended in the Construction of Road.

If Constructed Portsmouth Will Have Finest Road in the State.

The first information the public had as to what the board of aldermen would impose upon the promoters of the electric railroad in the line of construction was given in last evening's HERALD and was the topic of conversation last evening. The public have been clamoring after the facts regarding the specifications and the HERALD served them with concise statement last evening. Civil Engineer Emery's complete statement follows.

To the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Portsmouth

I would recommend that in granting the franchise for the use of your streets to a Street Railway company that you require to build as good construction as that specified in detail below. All details of the different styles of construction are described in my report to you, dated the 7th inst:

Market street, from Hanover to Congress street—Track in the center of street. Rail nine inches high, half groove section. Paving, granite block on well prepared sub-grade. The street railway should pave between its rails and eighteen inches out on each side. Poles, iron. Span wire construction.

Special work, Market square—Rail nine inches high. Paving, granite blocks between rails and brow stone outside rails.

Congress street—Track in centre of street. Rail nine inches, from half groove section. Span wire construction. Iron poles. Paving from Market square to Fleet street, granite blocks between rails and brow stone outside rails. Paving from Fleet street to Middle street, granite blocks between rails and eighteen inches outside.

Special work, Congress, Middle and Bridge streets—Rail nine inches high Paving, granite blocks.

Vaughan street, from Congress to Railroad crossing—Track on easterly side of street. Rail nine inches, half groove section. Paving, granite blocks between rails and between east rail and curb and eighteen inches out from west rail. Iron poles, bracket construction

Special work, Deer and Vaughan streets—Rail nine inches high. Paving, granite blocks.

Deer street—Track on northerly side of street. Rail seven inches high, half groove section. Paving, brick between rails and brow stone outside rails, on concrete Iron poles, bracket construction.

Bridge street—Track on westerly side of street. Rail seven inches high, half groove section. Paving, bricks between rails and between west rail and curb and eighteen inches out from east rail. Iron poles, bracket construction.

Pleasant streets—Track in center of street from Congress to Court street and on easterly side of street from Court to Marcy street Rail seven inches high, T from Congress to Wentworth street and seven inches high, half groove section from Wentworth street to Marcy street Paving, bricks between rails, brow stone outside rails, except where track is on side of street where space between track and curb should be paved with brick. Poles iron. Span wire construction from Congress to Court street, bracket construction from Court to Marcy street.

Marcy street, from Pleasant street to beginning of curve into Newcastle avenue—Track on easterly side of street. Rail seven inches high, T, except on bridge, where low T rail may be used. Paving, bricks between rails and between east rail and sidewalk and brow stone outside of west rail. Poles wooden, bracket construction.

South street, from Marcy street south about 600 feet—Track in center of street Rail seven inches high, T. Paving, broken stone with one row of granite blocks along each side of each rail. Poles wooden span construction.

South street, from last mentioned point to Sagamore road—Track on southerly side of street. Rail seven inches high, T. Paving, broken stone between rails and eighteen inches outside rails, with one row granite blocks along each side of each rail. Poles wooden, bracket construction.

Special work at South street and Sagamore road and Miller avenue—Rail seven inches high. Paving, brick between rails and brow stone on side rails

Sagamore road, from South street to city line—Track on west side of road Rail low T to weigh not less than fifty-six pounds per yard No paving required Road bed of track must be held distinct from that of highway and thorough provision be made for draining highway. Poles wooden, round chestnut or cedar may be used, bracket construction.

South street, from Sagamore road to Middle road—Track on southerly side of road. Rail low T to weigh not less than fifty-six pounds per yard. No paving. Roadbed of track must be held distinct from that of highway and thorough provision made for draining highway. Poles wooden, as on Sagamore road, bracket construction.

Special work at South street and Middle street—Rail seven inches high Paving, brick between rails and brow stone outside rails.

Middle road—Track on southerly side of road. Rail low T to weigh not less than fifty-six pounds per yard No paving. Poles wooden, bracket construction.

Middle street, from South street to Congress street—Track in center of street. Rail seven inches high, T. Paving, bricks between rails and brow stone outside rails. Poles iron, span construction.

Special work, Middle street and Middle road—Rail seven inches high Paving, bricks between rails and brow stone outside rails

Miller avenue—Track in center of street Rail seven inches high, T Paving, broken stone between rails and eighteen inches outside, with one row of granite blocks along each side each rail. Poles, iron from Middle street to Lincoln avenue, wooden from Lincoln avenue to South street

Islington street, from Bridge street to Frenchman's lane—Track in center of street. Rail seven inches high, T. Paving, brick between rails and brow stone outside rails. Poles iron, span construction.

Cass street—Track in center of street Rail seven inches high, T. Paving, bricks between rails and brow stone on side rails Poles wooden, span construction.

Barlett street, from Islington street to Clinton street—Track on west side of street. Rail seven inches high, T. Paving, from Islington street to Dennett street, bricks between west rail and curb and brow stone outside east rail. Paving, from Dennett street to Clinton street broken stone between rails and eighteen inches outside rails, without row granite blocks along each side each rail. Poles wooden, bracket construction.

Clinton street—Track on north side of street Rail low T to weigh not less than fifty-six pounds per yard. No paving Poles wooden, bracket construction.

Dennett street, from Myrtle street to Maplewood avenue—Track on easterly side of street. Rail seven inches, T Paving, bricks between rails and between south rail and curb and brow stone outside north rail. Poles wooden, bracket construction.

Maplewood avenue—Track on south side of street. Rail seven inches high, T. Paving, brick between rails and between south rail and curb and brow stone outside north rail Poles wooden, bracket construction.

New Vaughan street—Track on northerly side of street Rail seven inches high, T. Paving, brick between rails and between north rail and curb and brow stone outside south rail. Poles wooden, bracket construction.

I should recommend that the following streets be paved with granite blocks by the city, from curb to curb, except between and eighteen inches outside of rail: Market street, from Hanover to Congress; Congress, from Fleet street to Middle street; Vaughan street, from Congress to railroad. Bridge street and about fifty feet under railroad bridge on Barlett street should be paved with brick from curb to curb likewise by the city. Pleasant street should be widened between curbs at its junction with Marcy street, sufficiently to allow a team to pass between the curb and a car. Your especial attention is called to the details of the construction specifications in the report above referred to and also to the paragraph regarding the approval of plans by the city's representative.

Respectfully submitted.

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PERSONALS.

George Watson went to Dover yesterday.

Mrs. J. Edward Pickering was in Boston yesterday.

Mr. George S. Chandler passed yesterday in Hampton.

Perley B. Putnam of Lacolia was in town last evening.

William Taylor attended the policemen's ball in Somersworth.

A. G. Whittemore of Dover was a visitor in this city Wednesday.

Miss Ella Nickerson left on Wednesday on a visit to friends in Auburn, Me.

Mrs Albert Lee of this city is visiting her parents at her former home in Lynn, Mass.

Frank Staples has returned to his former duties in the boat shop at the navy yard.

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Drowne of Alfred, Me., are the guests of friends in Kittery.

Mrs. John McGee of Roxbury, Mass, is the guest of Mrs. Thomas Mulcahey on Deer street.

Miss Florence Lombard passed Wednesday night attending a birthday whist party at Dover.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis E Staples, who have been passing several days at Hillsboro Bridge, have returned home.

Rear Admiral Charles C. Carpenter, U S. N, retired, of this city, at ains his sixty-fourth birthday on Sunday, Feb. 27th

Editor Plaisted of the York Courant attended the masked ball last evening. He is a warm friend of the P K and Y boys.

Miss Grace Archibald is to resign from the training school and enter the Cottage hospital to serve an apprenticeship for trained nurse.

Miss Josephine Carpenter, who has been on an extended visit to her sisters Mrs. Shipley in Annapolis, Md, returned to her home in this city this morning.

Mr. and Mrs J H Gardiner left today for New Mexico. They expect to be gone about five weeks The HERALD wishes them a pleasant journey and received health.

Miss Margaret Bradbury of Quincy, Mass., who has been the guest of friends here, has returned to her home, called there by the illness of her father.

Mr. John Kerwin, of the firm of Kerwin & McGrail of Dover, passed Wednesday night in this city, the guest of John Holland of the Manchester Union

Mrs McDuffie, wife of Rev M V McDuffie, writes to a friend in this city that her family is very pleasantly situated at East Orange, N J, and believes they will like their new home very much.

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A Painful Injury.

Mrs. Ruth Spinney met with a very painful injury at her home on Spinney's road late last evening, which caused her much suffering. She was coming out of the house when she fell, her left hand striking against a rusty hinge in such a manner that a piece of the iron pierced nearly through the centre of her palm

The piece was removed, and Mrs Spinney made as comfortable as possible, although she suffered considerable from the wound all night. Her many friends will learn of her accident with sincere regret, and will hope that nothing serious will result from the same.

The Politicians Frightened

Never in the history of this city was the question as to who would fill the chain in the aldermanic chamber such a mystery as it is at the present time A wave of enthusiasm is hovering over the city which if it is put into play in the coming municipal election will sweep the city. The candidates for the various offices are in an unsettled position and are backward about coming out. Both parties are frightened and the leaders are praying that the present city government will settle the electric railroad matter.

Washington Naval oranges, 15 cents per dozen at Chesley's.

KITTERY, ME.

Record of Happenings prepared Especially for Herald Readers

(Special to the Herald)

Hon. Horace Mitchell is in Washington on several matters of importance.

Mr. James E. Chase has been obliged to give up his work at Bath and has returned to his home in this city.

Kittery and Kittery Point were well represented at the conductor's and motormen's ball in Portsmouth last evening.

River and Harbor

Steamer Charles F Mayer, Hand, cleared yesterday for Baltimore with C C Co's barge No 2 in tow.

The barge Brookside and steamer Lebanon are both on the way here from Philadelphia with coal for J A and A W Walker.

Schooner Calvin F Baker sailed yesterday for the Penobscot to load ice for Washington.

The little steamer Pinafore came in from the Shoals yesterday with Oscar Laighton on board. She returned to the islands today.

The schooner William K Parks, Lake, arrived in Philadelphia yesterday with her sails blown to shreds and badly used up from the effects of last week's storm. The Parks is a frequent visitor to this port where Captain Lake has many friends.

Schooner W H Whittingham has been chartered by the Walkers to bring coal to this port.

The ferry boat 132 met with an accident this morning on her first trip and the navy yard employes reached their work via the Newmarch and electrics.

A Big Black Boom

Sixty coal black coons, with sparkling eyes and ruby lips, will greet the spectators at Music hall, Monday and Tuesday evenings, Feb. 14 and 15.

The minstrel contingent of the Portsmouth Athletic Club, after months of careful preparation, presents a black face performance of truly colossal proportions. Space does not permit an enumeration of the various features, but the splendidly arranged overture, the exhibition of scientific sparring, the musical mokes, the graceful Spanish dance of Miss Moses, and that culminating triumph of spectacular minstrelsy, the animated song sheet, are sufficient guarantee of a high grade performance. Good seats for both nights are still obtainable at Grace's

Tendered a Surprise Party

About seventy-five of the intimate friends of Miss Clyde Spinney tendered that young lady a surprise party at her home on Spinney's road last evening It was given in recognition of the anniversary of Miss Spinney's birth.

The evening was passed very pleasantly with music and games while Mr. Clyde Margeson greatly amused the company by his impersonations of a colored lady. A fine supper was served during which Mr. Charles Hayes arose and addressing Miss Spinney, presented her, in behalf of the company present, with a very handsomely decorated birthday cake. Miss Spinney was somewhat taken back at first but quickly recovered and gracefully accepted the same in a few well chosen words.

At The Navy Yard

Ferry 132 broke down this morning and was relieved by the Emerald.

A Y Rand of Rye has recovered from his recent illness and reported at the yard yesterday.

The naval constructor for this yard will report March 1st.

War with Spain was the topic of conversation among the officers today.

Sailmaker H. C. Lovell has been appointed a leading man.

A shake up in the Marine corps is predicted.

The Alliance will leave this yard late in the spring.

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The Messrs. J. A. and A W. Walker coaled the U. S S. Alliance at the navy yard yesterday.

A party of society people will take a sleigh ride to Hotel Whittier this evening and will enjoy a supper and dance.

A number of Grand Army men in this city have received invitations to the War Veterans masquerade to be given in Concord Monday evening, February 14th.

Good Citizenship Again

Editor HERALD—We should be sorry to omit from the article on good citizenship in your paper of yesterday that the good citizenship of some good families living in their own houses might be called in question, if tested by the prompt and proper shovelling of snow from the sidewalks before their own doors Some men and women are strangely irresponsible about the inconvenience and sometimes danger to which pedestrians are subjected from snow, slush and ice that are allowed to stay before the premises over which they have an oversight We all have something to do to keep our city well-kept, clean, attractive and desirable.

CITIZEN.

Portsmouth, N H, Feb 10, 1898

Eliot, Me.

A supper was given at the Congregational church last evening, and the excellent spread was gotten up by the male members of the society. A fish chowder, prepared by George C. Ireland just caught the large crowd, and it was pronounced one of the best ever served in York county. At the close of the supper Dr. J. L M. Willis delivered an interesting lecture on "How to Get Strong and Keep Strong." He endorsed physical training in the public schools and thought that teachers should pass an examination in physical training. The church was crowded, and the evening was replete with enjoyments

Fishing Schooner Sold

The fishing schooner, Georgie Willard owned in Portland, but captained by Henry Becker of Newcastle, has been sold to Captain C. F. Burkhart of Gloucester who was the owner of the ill-fated fishing schooner Tragabigzanda, which went to pieces on Cedar island a week ago Saturday. The Willard has been fishing out of this port for some time past and will leave at once for Gloucester, where she will be thoroughly overhauled and repaired.

Weak, Tired, Nervous
Liver and Kidney Troubles and Palpitation of the Heart—Appetite Poor and Could Not Sleep.
"For nearly 10 years I have been troubled with my liver and kidneys and palpitation of the heart, and was under the doctor's care most of the time. I could not lie on my left side My appetite was poor and I could not sleep. In January the grip confined me to the house. I was very low and was attended by the very best physicians I could get. It seemed as though nothing would help me. In March I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. In less than a week I could get a good night's sleep. I continued taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and I am now able to lie on my left side which I had not been able to do for years. My appetite is good and I have gained in flesh and strength." MRS. NICHOLAS MAAS Independence, Iowa.
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Whole Family Stricken Down

The family of Town Clerk Frank Donnell of Kittery were taken suddenly sick shortly before midnight last night were in a very critical condition before a physician reached them.

The family which consists of Mr. and Mrs. Donnell and two children, retired usual and at the time were feeling as well as ever. Soon after eleven o'clock one was taken and then another until four were deathly sick. Mr. Donnell attempted to go for a doctor, but on opening the door fainted dead away. A physician was at last summoned and at two o'clock this morning the entire family were feeling fairly comfortable.

It is thought that something the family had eaten at the supper table caused the illness.

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New York has a millionaire evangelist who, it is said, makes children weep. Perhaps he only gives them pennies, when, as he is a millionaire, they expect dollars.

The surprising statement is telegraphed from Leadville, S. D., that "if" all the money paid Grable had been used to develop, the property would have been a success.

Luetgert's lawyers have determined to make his second trial in Chicago a test of endurance, as they say in the United States senate. The first juror succumbed yesterday.

A "queen of confidence women" confesses that she has made $500,000 out of gold bricks since 1892. This shows that there are still a great number of greedy persons in the world.

We shall believe that J. Bull has backed down when it is proven. It is not John's custom to back down, except when arguing with the United States. That is expected and agrees with precedent.

"Too much patronage is a dangerous thing," said Hon Dave Hill. Probably from being so frequently associated with "a little learning." The rules for the Pierian spring do not apply to the pie counter.

The schedule of assets of the insolvent Rhode Island locomotive works is reported by the intelligent compositor to be "sChi-t oce9.ioun,l-efigiged emfw mwf mfw." The receiver has quite a job before him.

Kaiser William does not care whether his subjects eat American fruits or import American horses. But the men who are opposed to these things are the men who can elect deputies who would probably vote for his measure for the increase of the navy.

A gentleman from Lincoln, Neb, Mr. William J. Bryan by name, was asked to contribute to a newspaper symposium on the question as to whether the Democracy ought to have a new candidate and a new issue in 1900. In his contribution Mr. Bryan gently hints that the old candidate and the old issue will do. Mr. Bryan is a believer in old things.

AN AFRICAN LEGEND.

The Story of How the Monkey Came to Be Created.

Negro legends and interpretations of Scripture are often extremely ingenuous and even poetical, and it frequently happens that when the makers of tradition and folklore happen to have African blood in their veins they rely entirely upon their inspirations and imaginations. It is in this wise that their account of the creation of the monkey was constructed. The story runs as follows:

After God had made man, the devil regarded this new creation with a great deal of interest and admiration and was filled with an ambition to do something of the kind himself. He therefore studied the form and features of the human being which had been recently placed upon the earth, and set to work with great earnestness to make a living creature which should, as nearly as possible, resemble man, but he did not try to make his work quite as large as his model, wisely thinking he would better begin with something on a smaller scale. The result of his labors was the monkey.

This animal was a good deal like a man but he failed in some important particulars to resemble the original. One of these was his inability to speak, and the devil tried to remedy this fault, but found it impossible. He also discovered that his little man did not possess the intelligence of the larger being he had tried to imitate and disgusted with the impossibility of making his monkey speak or of impressing upon his mind that he should act as a reasonable being, he gave up the attempt in despair, and in order to compensate the creature he had made for the great failures in his construction, he gave him a tail. This would not enable him to speak nor would it bestow upon him the intelligence he should have, but it would be a very great help to him in getting through life, and this the little burlesque of man has doubtless found to be true.—Youth's Companion.

ELOQUENT APPEALS.

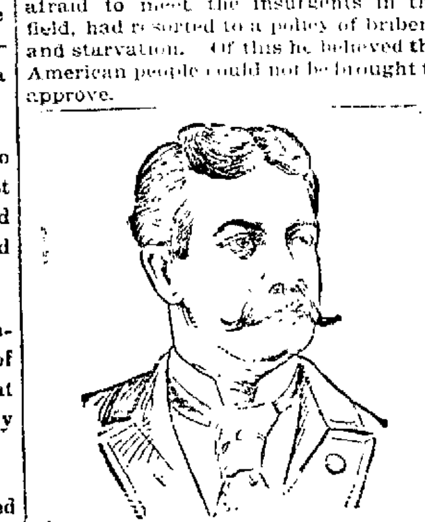
Cause of Cuban Insurgents Pleaded In the Senate.

HALE UPHELD PRESENT POLICY.

Unwise to Place Administration In Leading Strings.

Washington, Feb. 10.—For more than three hours yesterday the senate chamber rang with eloquent appeals in behalf of the Cuban insurgents. Speeches were delivered by Mr. Cannon of Utah and Mr. Mason of Illinois in advocacy of the adoption of resolutions which they had presented. Following Mr. Cannon's speech, Mr. Hale of Maine urged the senate to uphold the policy of the administration. He pointed out that much had already been accomplished by President McKinley not only for the cause of peace on the island, but also for the protection of the Americans and American interests, and for the relief of the reconcentradoes and pacificos. He maintained that it would not be a good policy, by the adoption of a drastic declaration, to place the administration in leading strings that might interfere with the carrying into effect of a defined policy.

Long before Mr. Cannon began his address the galleries were packed with people who were aware that this would be a field day of Cuban oratory. Mr. Cannon's speech was a calm and dispassionate argument in support of his resolution. He did not, he maintained, desire to disturb the peace or welfare of government, but he warned congressmen and officials in administration circles that unless definite action was taken upon the Cuban question by the United States the heavy hand of the people would fall upon them. He declared that in the conflict in Cuba, Spain, afraid to meet the insurgents in the field, had resorted to a policy of bribery and starvation. Of this he believed the American people could not be brought to approve.


SENATOR CANNON

While Mr. Cannon was speaking a sensational incident occurred. A member of the house of representatives, standing near him, apparently denounced as a lie statements Mr. Cannon made, that every rifle in the hands of the Cuban patriots had cost them $200. Amid considerable excitement Mr. Hale addressed the vice president, expressing the hope that the rules of the senate would be strictly observed. After quiet had been restored, Mr. Cannon, who was evidently painfully affected by his emotion, said: "I do not ordinarily object to remarks of denial concerning statements which I make on this floor. However, to a statement which I just made the audible comment was added that it was a lie. I care less, Mr. President, for the remark than for the spirit which actuated it. I reassert that it is a solemn truth that the Cuban patriots have paid $200 for every rifle they have in use in their army. These arms have come from the United States. Every railroad and every express company and every filibustering expedition which has landed ammunitions of war on the island of Cuba has taken its deadly toll." After some discussion of the general features of the Cuban question, Mr. Cannon said: "I charge now that the purpose of the administration is in consonance with the wishes of the Spanish bondholders, and before peace is secured in Cuba security for the payment of that tremendous debt must be given by the bloodstained island. That I say appears to be the wish of the administration, and I may say of Spain."

There was a buzz of comment as Senator Mason arose and his resolution was read from the desk. He had hesitated long, he said, as he feared that by an incautious step he might injure rather than benefit the Cuban cause; but he was ready to take the step now, feeling that any blame must fall on him for he assumed full, personal responsibility. "I deny the insinuation," said he sharply, "that this is an effort to put the administration in leading strings." He was a Republican, and he was proud of the patriotism of the executive, but spoke his personal convictions on the cause of Cuba. "I am charged with seeking war," exclaimed the senator, "but my resolution is for peace. One word from this administration would bring peace to this continent, and under the providence of God we believe it would bring independence to Cuba."

The thumbscrews of the inquisition were again brought into use in Cuba, proceeded Mr. Mason. The pinchers that tore the flesh from human bones had contributed to the carnival of cruelty. Three hundred thousand people starved, 200,000 more were marching to the grave, and yet the cry was being raised that war was being sought, while the one and only cry was for peace and an end to this atrocity.

Mr. Hale interrupted to say that Mr. Mason's figures of those said to be dead and starving were far exaggerated and out of all proportion to the known population of the island. "Such statements are monstrous," declared Mr. Hale.

"That's what I think," interposed Mr. Mason, and again the galleries applauded vigorously.

The statement was monstrous added Mr. Hale, in its inconsistency with the known number of people on the island. The figures given would show, he added, that one out of three of the population had died.

"Yes, and in some provinces 50 per cent, or one in two," answered Mr. Mason. He said he would establish his statement by the letters of Mr. Pepper, a man recognized as conservative in his statements.

"This government ought to maintain that the horrible massacres which are now too common in Cuba and conducted under the guise of warfare," Mr. Mason went on, "must be stopped. We have no right as a neutral nation fully regardful of the rights of all to look upon such a warfare as within any reasonable construction of international law. The flag of truce has been abandoned, prisoners of war are being shot, and it is evident that no rule of warfare is being observed. The conflict has developed into a mere matter of murder on both sides—prisoners of war being shot or macheted without trial."

Now that the Spanish forces have refused to open battle, said Mr. Mason, the only hope of Spain is to overcome the Cuban leaders by bribes. Mr. Mason contended that Uncle Sam was in effect a policeman whose duty it was to exercise his power to prevent further bloodshed upon the island.

"Should the president take such action," declared Mr. Mason, "he would have behind him the army and navy, and above all the people." While men and women were starving, the senator said, the bucketshops sent us price lists.

"These stock jobbers," he exclaimed "tell us that war is hell. In Cuba it is worse than hell." Mr. Mason said that when the bucketshops wrote the legislation of the country the evil day was upon us.

Mr. Cannon again took the floor for a brief personal explanation bearing upon the scene in which he had participated towards the close of his remarks. He said the gentleman to whose utterances he had taken exception had explained to him that he had reference to another subject. He was willing to accept the explanation, as he had no doubt the senate would be.

A WOMAN'S SUFFERINGS.

Some of the Agonies They Needlessly Endure.

Nervousness and Female Weaknesses Ruin Many Lives.

These Poor Sufferers Have Found A Sure Way To Get Well.

Female weaknesses are more common today than ever before. Constant work and worry weaken the nerves and vitality, and female weakness follows. As a result there is pain, discharges, suppression, irregularities, weak back, inflammations, bearing down, bad taste in the mouth, loss of appetite, faintness, constipation, nervousness, sleeplessness and irritability. Mrs. S. Taylor, of 251 West 17th St., New York City, says:

"For years I have been unable to attend to my household duties owing to severe sickness. I was troubled terribly with female weakness, suppression of the menses for over six years, nervous exhaustion, sleeplessness and general debility. I had coldness of limbs and feet, and was in a helpless condition. I feared I should never get well.

"I had been under a doctor's care all the time but got no better. I was utterly prostrated, and good for nothing. By the advice of a friend who was cured by Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, I began using this wonderful medicine. After taking it a short time I was completely cured of all my troubles. My nerve strength returned, my female weakness entirely left me, my nervousness disappeared, I slept well and was in perfect health. For this blessing I have to thank Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. It is a wonderful medicine."

Such testimonials as these are always the means of curing thousands of suffering women who are wise enough to accept the advice of those who have been cured. Countless numbers of people all over the land have regained their health by this wonderful remedy, and are crying out to their fellow creatures to take Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, and be made well and strong. It is not a patent medicine, but the prescription of the most successful physician, Dr. Greene, of 34 Temple Place, Boston, Mass., who can be consulted free, personally or by letter.

G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT.

Boston, Feb. 10.—The 32nd annual encampment of the G. A. R. of Massachusetts came to a close yesterday after one of the most interesting and eventful sessions in the history of the organization in this state. The rebuke which the so-called "house of lords" received by the election of William H. Bartlett department commander over John E. Gilman, the candidate of the regulars, was followed Wednesday by those opposed to the old order, presenting resolutions still further condemning the sitting of past department commanders in the annual encampment. As the resolutions were subsequently adopted, each post will vote on the question of abolishing this institution. The order further provides that if a majority of the posts of the state is opposed to the "house of lords," the national encampment to be held in Cincinnati in September shall be memorialized to have the law annulled.

In accordance with the usual custom the encampment wound up with a banquet in Faneuil hall. About 700 comrades gathered around the tables on the floor of the hall and on the platform.

DICTATOR BARRIOS KILLED.

New York, Feb. 10.—A report comes from San Francisco that President Barrios of Guatemala had fallen a victim of assassination in Guatemala City. Details are wanting.

President Barrios was a man of wide attainments and marked executive ability. He was only 42 years old.

A Charming Gift.

"What did the professor give his bride for her birthday?"

"A tabulated statement of all the different mistakes his Greek scholars made during the term."—Fliegende Blatter.

MURDER TRIALS.

Williams Exhibits No Trace of Fear of Being Convicted.

Salem, Mass., Feb. 10.—Hour after hour yesterday the hearing of testimony in the Williams murder trial held the attention of jury, Justices Braley and Dunbar and a crowd of interested spectators. The prisoner sat through it all without trace of emotion other than of intense interest in what was being told. He shows no trace of fear or even apprehension. Evidently he has every confidence that his lawyers will be able to break that chain of circumstantial evidence which the government claims to have without a flaw from beginning to end.

The testimony was largely upon the actions of Williams just previous to and immediately after the discovery of the fire in the little hut at Lynnfield, in the ruins of which the supposed body of the missing John Gallo was found. Members of the Daley family, who live opposite the spot where Williams claims to have been held up the night previous to the murder of Gallo and the fire in the shanty, were upon the stand. One and all testified that they had neither heard nor seen anything of such a squabble in the road as Williams had described.

DAVIS' GOBETWEEN.

Middlebury, Vt., Feb. 10.—The most important contribution to the testimony against Smith Davis for the alleged murder of Dora Cushman was given by William Brittell, who was arrested last August as an accessory. Brittell spent some time in jail, but was able to secure his release under bonds. He has since turned state's evidence. Brittell is the man who is said to have acted as a gobetween for Davis and Dora Cushman. He testified that he had made appointments for them to meet on various occasions, and that he had arranged the meeting of the two in the pasture on the afternoon of the girl's death. He went over the mountain to Warren at Davis request and got from one Herbert Poland a cologne bottle partially filled with liquid. Poland asked witness to tell Davis to mix two tablespoonsfull with half a pint of alcohol and give the mixture to the girl. These instructions were delivered, and later Davis asked witness if the girl had taken any of the preparation. Brittell said she had not, as the alcohol was too strong. Witness made a preparation in which brandy alcohol was used. Brittell also testified that Davis slept very little during the time immediately preceding the girl's death. Davis had a small box which he carefully guarded, and one day he told witness that he had an instrument in his pocket. He requested witness to go to the Cushman home and tell Dora to meet him (Davis) in a berryfield that afternoon, as he had something very important to tell her. The message was delivered as requested.

Dr. Adolphus J. Cushman, father of the girl, was the next witness, and his evidence was mainly in corroboration of previous testimony. On cross-examination the defense devoted all its efforts to throw discredit on the standing of the physician, who had instruments similar to those that caused Dora's death, which she might have possibly got in her possession and used. The witness testified that no one who had not a key could get the articles, as he always carried the key with him. The witness passed through a trying ordeal.

TERRIBLE RESULTS.

Walls of a Burning Building Bury Large Number In an Alley.

Pittsburg, Feb. 10.—A fire of mysterious origin was discovered about 8 o'clock last night in the large cold storage plant of the Chatauqua Lake Ice company. The building was a six-story brick, with three fire walls, making in reality four buildings. The ice company had its plant and storage warehouse on the lower floors and the Union Storage company occupied the balance of the building with merchandise of all descriptions, the property of many merchants and householders of the city. One of the compartments was used as the government bonded warehouse and contained about 400 barrels of whisky and alcohol. Fifty horses belonging to the ice company were stabled in one end of the building, but were rescued.

The windows of the block are protected by iron shutters which could not be opened, and for this reason the firemen were badly handicapped, being unable to get at the fire properly. At 11:15 p. m. an explosion of whisky occurred which blew out the Mulberry alley wall with terrible results. At the time the alley was filled with firemen, policemen, newspaper men and others. Many were caught by the falling wall. There are rumors that at least 25 or 30 men are still under the debris. Three dead have been taken out, among them Police Captain Berry. The other two bodies are at the morgue unrecognized as yet. Many people were injured by flying bricks and beams, and all the ambulances and patrol wagons of the city are in constant service.

The telegraph and electric lights at the corner of One Hundred and Thirtieth and Penn streets fell shortly after the explosion and killed an unknown man.

Just after the explosion the large warehouse of W. A. Heevler & Co., directly opposite the Chautauqua company's building, was ablaze and in a short time was beyond hope of saving. At about 1:15 the fire was gotten under control. The two large buildings are a total wreck, and the loss cannot be much less than $1,000,000. Until the fallen walls have been cleared away, there can be no certainty as to the number of victims.

TWO VESSELS MISSING.

Philadelphia, Feb. 10.—It is reported that two Philadelphia schooners with 20 men were lost during the recent blizzard on the New England coast. One was the William Johnson, Captain James Lee, which sailed for Portland Jan. 18 with a cargo of 1400 tons of coal. The other was the schooner William K. Park, Captain Louis C. Lake, which left Boston light Jan. 23 for Rockport, Me. Both vessels belonged to Captain Peter B. Reed of this city and each carried 10 men.

The William Johnson put into Boston harbor Jan. 27 leaking badly and with six feet of water in her hold. She was pumped out and resumed her voyage Jan. 29, having only 85 miles to sail, yet no tidings of her have been had. The Park has not been reported since she sailed.

Sour Milk Biscuit.

Sour milk biscuits are made by rubbing a tablespoonful of shortening into a quart of flour. Add half a teaspoonful of salt. Moisten half a teaspoonful of soda in 2 tablespoonfuls of warm water. Stir it into half a pint of sour milk. Stir this into the flour. You may have to add a little more milk, but do not add any more soda. Knead quickly, roll out on a board, cut into biscuits and bake in a quick oven for 20 minutes.—Ladies' Home Journal.

A TIPPLER'S JOKE.

It Was of the Practical Kind and Might Have Resulted Seriously.

One of the best known men about town, who died a few years ago, often told a practical joke that was played on him which forever left its mark. The man in question was a great sportsman, and nothing could keep him away from angling and shooting when there was the least chance to do a good day's work. In earlier years he was in the habit of going to a little village in Wisconsin famous for its well stocked streams. A man named Beech kept a little hotel here, and the colonel—we will call him that—often put up with him. He arrived there one night in July and retired soon after supper, determined to get a good night's rest. The landlord was in the bar and somewhat worse for what he had imbibed.

"I suppose I can have my old room?" said the colonel as he shook hands with him.

"Certainly, certainly, my boy. But you'll have to sleep with the major—you know the major—as the house is full."

There may have been a merry twinkle in his eye as he said this, but the colonel took no notice of it. Yes, he knew the major. The major was a pleasant old chap who had lived in the village for years and made his headquarters at the tavern. There was a new moon that night, and the colonel found it light enough to retire without a lamp. Besides, he didn't want to disturb his roommate, who appeared to be fast asleep. Very much fatigued with his day's tramp, he tumbled into bed and was just dozing off when he heard the door open and some one come into the room. In the dim light the colonel distinguished the outlines of a young man and woman. They sat down on the sofa, where the rays of the moon fell upon them. The colonel could not understand the situation, but he waited to see what would come of it.

"Dearest," said the man in dulcet tones, "I don't want you to have so much to say to Billy Jones."

"Why, Charley, you know I don't care a rap for him. I love you. You ought to know that."

There was a kiss and then another. The colonel nudged his friend, the major, well knowing that his sense of humor would render the scene all the more enjoyable, but he didn't move. The sweet talk went on very quietly and decorously. Again the colonel jabbed his bedfellow. Somehow the major was sleeping very soundly and the colonel raised himself on his elbow and took his first good look at him. Imagine his horror when he discovered little square pieces of damp cloth over his eyes and a bandage around his head to keep his jaw in position. The major was dead.

The colonel gave one yell and sprang from the bed. Another bound and he was out of the door and tearing down the stairs. Not until he reached the taproom and swallowed a large goblet of whisky did he recover sufficiently from his fright to ask for an explanation from the landlord, who by this time was thoroughly intoxicated.

He confessed that he had played a joke on his guest and hoped it had not given him much of a turn. The best part of the joke was on the young couple, who had volunteered to sit up with the corpse. When the colonel jumped from the bed they thought it was a veritable resurrection. The bold lover threw himself out of the window, and the girl fainted dead away. A sprained ankle was the extent of the injuries received by her sweetheart, the landlord settling the bill. The landlord was quickly sobered by the commotion but the colonel never went back to that place, no matter if the fish did bite better there in July than anywhere else in Wisconsin.—St. Louis Republic.

CAR HORSE'S WORST FATE.

It Is to Be Made a "Helper" on Up Grades.

No worse fate can befall a street car horse than to be condemned to do service as a helper. It is a life sentence in most cases and is a punishment, not for misconduct or poor work, but for faithful service and loyalty to his masters. When a horse has proved that he is strong and honest and faithful, he is taken from the ranks of the regular street car horses and assigned to some hill or grade to help spring the car up it.

There could be no more heartbreaking labor. Literally it is all "up hill work." Never a gentle slope where he may catch his breath or a level stretch where he may shake out the cramps in his legs, nothing but pulling a burden up hill all his days.

They don't live long. The best horses are put into the service, but the pace is too fast for them. They break down, as a general thing, before they have finished the first year.

Aside from the tremendous physical strain which the work demands, the helper is exposed to all sorts and conditions of weather. Seldom is a blanket thrown over him even on the coldest days when he is steaming from his exertions. After pulling one car up a grade he is compelled to return to the foot of the hill on the run in order to meet the next car. It is not to be wondered at that his knees give way, his wind becomes broken, his eyes sightless and that he breaks down altogether in less than 12 months.

As for the other street car horses, the regulars, the sympathy which the public always has expended on them is more or less wasted. Their lot does not begin to be as hard as persons believe, and, compared to that of the truck horse, it is a sinecure. He does not have to work more than four hours a day and has only two trips of eight miles each to make. The average horse, whether a Percheron aristocratic or a dumpcart plebeian, considers himself lucky if he has no more than 16 miles a day to travel.—New York Press.

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OLDEST MASON AND ODD FELLOW.

San Bernadino, Cali., Feb. 10.—George Lord, the oldest Mason in the United States and probably in the world, and also the oldest Odd Fellow in this country, is dead. He was born in New York city June 27, 1800, and first came to California in 1819.

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VOTERS NOTICE.

The Board of Registrars of voters for the City of Portsmouth hereby give notice that they will be in session at the Common Council Chamber at City Hall in said city on the following dates viz: Feb 4th, 7th, 9th, 11th, 16th, 18th, 23rd, 25th, 28th and March 1st, 1898, at the following hours, 9 a. m to 12 m, 2 p. m. to 5 p. m and 7. 30 p. m. to 9 p m. for the purpose of making up and correcting the checklist of the several wards in said city, to be used at the Municipal Election to be held on March 8th, 1898.

The said board will be in session at same place on March 8th, 1898 from 8 a. m. to 12 m. and 1 p. m to 4 p. m. for the purpose of granting certificates to those legal voters whose names are omitted from the list.

Voters must bear in mind that it is their personal duty to see that their names are on the list by presenting themselves at some meeting of the board. This clause will be strictly enforced.

CHARLES W. HUMPHREYS
CHAIRMAN.
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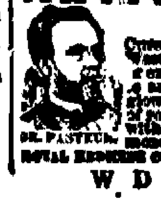

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PORTLAND, 10 00, 10 50, a. m., 2 48, 8 55, p. m. Sundays, 10 50, a. m., 8 55 p. m. Returning, 2 00, 9 00 a. m., 1 00, 6 10 p. m. Sundays, a. m., 1 00 p. m.

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" Raymond, 9 32 a. m., 1 32, 6 30 p. m.
Returning leave
Concord 7 40, 10 15 a. m., 3 30 p. m.
Manchester, 8 30, 11 10 a. m., 4 20, p. m.
Raymond, 9 10, 11 48 a. m., 5 02 p. m.
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TIME TABLE.

Leave Navy Yard—8 00*, 8 20, 8 40, 9 15, 10 00, 11 45 a. m., 1 45, 2 05, 3 00, 4 00, 4 45, 5 15, 7 30 p.m. (Wednesdays and Saturdays). Sundays, 9 40, 9 45, 10 15, a. m., 12 10, 12 20 p. m. Holidays, 9 40, 10 30, 11 30 a. m.

Leave Portsmouth—8 10*, 8 30, 8 50, 9 30, 11 a. m., 12 15, 1 55, 2 15, 3 30, 4 30, 5 00, 6 00, 10 0 p. m. (Wednesdays and Saturdays). Sundays, 9 00, 10 00, a. m., 12 00 m., 12 20, 12 45 p. m. Holidays 10 00, 11 00 a. m., 12 00 m.

*From May until October.

Portsmouth, Kittery and York Street Railway

Time Table.

Until further notice cars will run as follows:

Leave Badger's for York beach—7.00, 8 00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, 12.00, a. m. 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00. 10.00 11.00*. For Sea Point—6.30, 7 30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, a. m. 12.30, 1 30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30 p. m. Saturdays only 9.30.

Leave York beach for Portsmouth —5.50, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, a. m. 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30 * p. m.

*Kittery Point only.

Steamer Mystic leaves the Spring market landing every half hour from 6.20 a. m., to 10.50 p. m., making close connection with cars scheduled to leave Badger's island. Leaving ten minutes before the even hour and half-hour.

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Leave Hampton Depot for Beach—6.27, 7.27, 8.27, 9.42, 10.42, 11.42, 12.42 a. m.; 1.42, 2.42, 3.42, 4.42, 5.42, 6.42, 7.42, 8.42, 9.42, "11.10 p. m.

Arrive at Beach—6.45, 7.45, 8.45, 10.00, 11.00, 12.00 a. m.; 1.00, 2.00 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00 p. m.

Leave Beach for Exeter—6.45, 7.45, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, 12.00 a. m.; 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.30 p m.

Leave Hampton Depot for Exeter—6.05, 7.03, 8.03, 9.22, 10.18, 11.18, 12.18 a. m.; 1.18, 2 18, 3.18, 4.18, 5.21, 6.18 7.18, 8.18, 9.48, "9.52, "11.20 p. m.

Arrive at Exeter Depot—6.45, 7.45, 8.45, 9 25 10.00, 11.00, 12.00 a. m; 1.00, 2.00, 2 25, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.30 p. m.

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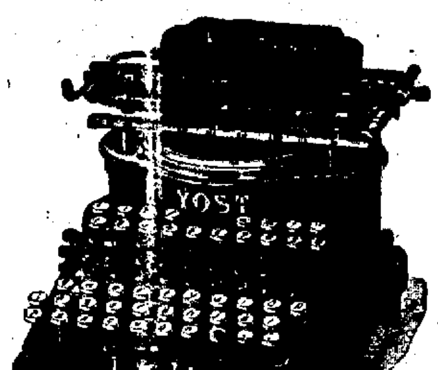

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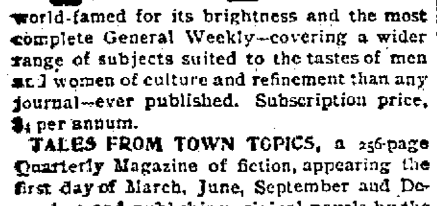

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THE DE LOME LETTER.

Alleged Author Refuses to Deny Its Authenticity.

SPANISH GOVERNMENT ADVISED.

The Offender Will Be Given His Walking Papers.

Washington, Feb. 10.—The publication of what purported to be an autograph letter written by Dupuy De Lome, the Spanish minister, to a friend, criticising the president with the utmost freedom, caused a sensation in official Washington, and soon will be followed by Minister De Lome's departure from the United States. At the outset there was a disposition to question the authenticity of the letter, but as bit by bit the circumstantial evidence accumulated, until it was finally announced officially that the minister declined to deny the authorship of the letter, all doubt was dissipated, and the only question that remained was as to the line of action to be pursued by our government toward the offending minister. The writing of this letter is unquestionably an offense against the amenities of diplomatic relations, and such offenses almost invariably have been regarded in the capital of the United States, as in other capitals, as sufficient ground for the termination of the official status of the letter writer.

As soon as the letter appeared in the press, the state department officials began an effort to settle its authenticity, and when it had learned all that could be developed on that point and had been told that the minister himself refused to deny writing it, the consideration of the next step began. Assistant Secretary Day was in consultation with the president on the subject at least four times during the official day, and then spent much time in framing his message to United States Minister Woodford at Madrid. The official statement of the sending of this message was accompanied by a declination to indicate its contents at this time, the department merely giving to the press the following statement:

"Minister De Lome does not deny writing the letter. This department has communicated with General Woodford on the subject. Until that communication reaches the Spanish government it would be improper to in any manner state the contents of the message to General Woodford."

While the department refused to add anything to this meager announcement, it can be stated without question that Mr. Woodford was directed to lay the facts developed before the Spanish government, together with the statement that in view of the minister's refusal to deny the authorship of the letter, the Spanish government is looked to with confidence to deal with the case properly. This amounts to an invitation to recall the minister, presuming that he himself has not already taken steps to vacate his position. No doubt is entertained of a compliance with the implied suggestion, but in case there should be undue delay in acting, the state department would feel called upon to move directly in the matter and give the minister his passports, as was done when Sir Julian Pauncefote's predecessor wrote the celebrated Murchison letter.

It may be stated that with Lord Sackville the department of state itself initiated the action. Lord Sackville had written a letter to one Murchinson in Pomona, Cal., in September, 1888, in reply to his request for guidance, as a naturalized American of British birth, in casting his vote for president. The reply was sent from Beverly, Mass., where the minister was stopping and would not now, nor probably at any time except in the heat of one of the great four-yearly elections, be regarded as particularly offensive. His lordship simply said that any political party which openly favored the mother country at that time would lose popularity, and the party then in power was well aware of this fact. He believed, however, that President Cleveland would manifest a spirit of conciliation in dealing with the questions involved in his message. Upon seeing this letter printed, Secretary Bayard sent for Lord Sackville, and the latter frankly confessed the authorship. Mr. Bayard cabled Mr. Phelps, our minister at London, under date of Oct. 25, that Lord Sackville had declared that his reply to Murchinson had been strictly private and not for publication. Mr. Bayard expressed his "surprise and amazement and condemnation of the minister's act. The government of the United States," he said, "could not be indifferent to any interference in the domestic issues by foreign representatives," and Mr. Phelps was directed to invite Lord Salisbury's attention to the occurrence and express the confident reliance of this government upon the action of her majesty's government in the premises."

Lord Salisbury did not take kindly to the suggestion He replied that he could not act until he had received the minister's explanation. He did not regard the letter alone as sufficient to warrant the minister's recall, "thus ending his diplomatic career, which would not necessarily be the case if he were dismissed by the government of the United States, for which, of course, there are precedents."

Mr. Phelps having advised that the intimation of Lord Salisbury be acted upon, as there was no probability of his recalling the minister immediately, Mr. Bayard proceeded to dismiss Lord Sackville in the following terms: "The president of the United States has instructed me to inform you that for good and sufficient causes which are known to yourself, and have been duly brought to the knowlege of your government, he has, with great regret, become convinced that it would be incompatible with the best interests and detrimental to the good relations of both governments that you should any longer hold your present official position in the United States, and that accordingly the government of her British majesty will without delay be informed of this determination in order that another channel may be found for the transmission of such communications as may be found desirable between the two governments in the transaction of their business. Whenever it is your pleasure to depart from the United States I am instructed to furnish you with the usual facilities, and with that view I now beg to enclose a passport in the customary form."

Lord Sackville left immediately, and from Oct. 30, 1888, until late in the spring of 1889, the British government was represented here only by a charge, a sign of the displeasure with which it viewed the treatment of its minister.

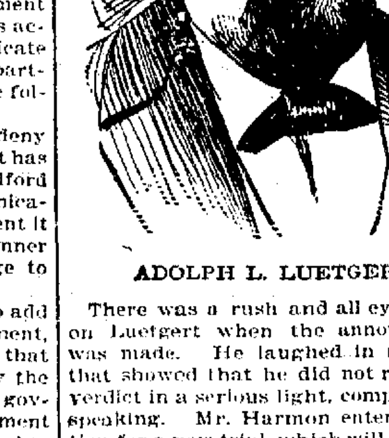
Among the minister's friends the act of stealing a confidential letter and making it public was considered as more reprehensible than the writing of the letter itself. It was the general expression among the minister's associates of the diplomatic corps that, while the publication disclosed grave impropriety, yet it was one that might happen to any of them in the course of confidential communications in which the greatest freedom of expression is used in order to convey a full understanding of an international question.

The most objectionable portion of the letter is this paragraph: "The message has undeceived the insurgents, who expected something else, and has paralyzed the action of congress, but I consider it bad. Beside the natural and inevitable coarseness with which he repeats all that the press and public opinion of Spain has said of Weyler, it shows once more that McKinley is weak and catering to the rabble, and, besides, a low politician, who desires to leave a door open to me and to stand well with the jingoes of his party. Nevertheless, as a matter of fact, it will only depend on ourselves whether he will prove bad and adverse to us."

LUETGERT FOUND GUILTY.

Jury Recommended That He Be Given Life Imprisonment.

Chicago, Feb. 10.—Adolph L. Luetgert has been convicted of the murder of his wife and sentenced to imprisonment in the penitentiary for life. It was 10:50 o'clock when word was sent by the jurors that they had agreed on a verdict. The news spread like lightning, and in a few minutes the room was jammed with newspaper men, policemen, witnesses, who had given evidence in the trial, and curious spectators.



ADOLPH L. LUETGERT.

There was a rush and all eyes turned on Luetgert when the announcement was made. He laughed in a manner that showed that he did not regard the verdict in a serious light, comparatively speaking. Mr. Harmon entered a motion for a new trial, which will be argued within a few days. To the reporters Luetgert said that the verdict was a surprise to him.

"I don't see how the evidence justifies such a verdict," he said, "but one thing is sure, the supreme court will give me a new trial, and I shall be acquitted."

From the time when the prisoner was led in to receive the verdict until the bailiffs conducted him back to his cell his face showed not one tremor of any sort of emotion. After arriving at the jail he retired as usual, apparently undisturbed by the adverse verdict.

BUSINESS IN THE HOUSE.

Boston, Feb. 10.—The senate transacted no business yesterday, adjourning after receiving some reports and clearing away minor matters.

The "good will and trade mark" of the Walter Baker Chocolate company involved a discussion in the house, which consumed the most of the time. This corporation asked for an increase of its capitalization to $4,500,000. The third reading was ordered.

Ought to pass was reported by the committee on manufactures on the bill to provide that consumers of electricity shall not be obliged to pay for the use of an electric meter when they use $7 worth of electricity in a year.

The joint judiciary committee reported favorably on the bill to allow the admission to the bar of those who were examined before Jan. 1, 1898, and the bill was passed all its stages under a suspension of the rules.

The public health committee reported a bill to protect the public from poison in patent and proprietary medicines. The committee also reported a bill to allow the board of registration in pharmacy to have the right to inspect all druggists' records of sales of poison.

"No savings bank or institution for savings hereafter incorporated shall do business or be located in the same room or in any room communicating with any bank, national bank association or trust company," says a bill from the committee on banks and banking.

NEWS FROM HAVANA.

Havana, Feb 10.—The American yacht Buccaneer, which has several times entered this port without health or other papers, flying the colors of the Union Yacht club, is understood to have landed Earl Decker, the New York Journal and Advertiser correspondent, at an insurgent camp. The yacht carries a small gun and it is reported that she has arms and ammunition on board. The Buccaneer was shadowed.

According to information obtained from Spanish sources, a detachment of Spanish troops has routed an insurgent force in the Sancti Spiritus district of the province of Santa Clara. The insurgents are said to have lost 10 men killed and the troops are reported to have captured the flag and arms of the insurgent leader in command, as well as 60 saddled horses.

United States Consul General Lee was notified of the vigilance of the Spanish authorities towards the Buccaneer, and he answered officially, it being intimated that she might be fined, that a yacht was not obliged to comply with custom house regulations, and that in certain cases a yacht might be considered as a warship. The matter is still under discussion, no decision having been arrived at by the Spanish authorities.

JAPAN'S NOTE TO CHINA.

London, Feb. 10.—The Pekin correspondent of The Times says: "The Japanese minister, Yane Funio, regretfully intimates to the Tsung-Li-Yamen the inability of his government, having regard to the obligations contracted by Japan, to grant an extension of the time for payment of the indemnity. Though no official statement has been issued, the negotiations for a loan from British sources are regarded as having failed."

RULES FOR TROTTING.

No More Hobbles to Be Used After This Year.

DRIVERS MUST HAVE LICENSES.

Eligibility of Horses Will Have to Be Established.

New York, Feb. 10.—Two questions that have been much discussed in trotting circles, viz., the abolishing of hobbles and the licensing of drivers, came in for a brief discussion when the rules bearing upon these subjects were reached at Wednesday's meeting of the National Trotting association. The rules committee had evidently settled the questions, for there was little difference of opinion at the meeting regarding the propriety of adopting such rules.

The section adopted regarding the use of hobbles now reads: "Horses wearing hobbles shall not be eligible to start in races on the grounds of members after Jan. 1, 1899." The rule regarding the licensing of drivers provides that no rider or driver shall be allowed to compete on the grounds of a member until he shall have obtained a license from the secretary of the National Trotting association; that such license must be applied for any way; that in case of emergency a member may permit a rider or driver to compete pending action on an application for license, but in all cases the winnings of the horse shall be withheld until the license is issued, or in case of failure to secure a license [illegible] premium retained shall be [illegible] under the rules; that a [illegible] revoked under certain [illegible] a license may be issued [illegible] to all riders or drivers [illegible] there are no claims [illegible] National Trotting association.

The same rule [illegible] ers must wear [illegible] licensed rider or driver [illegible] ficient reason [illegible] by judges as required [illegible] has reference to [illegible] a driver of a horse [illegible] or has been handled [illegible] such refusal may be punished [illegible] pension or the imposition of [illegible] both; that a rider or driver [illegible] ride or drive a horse in a race [illegible] personal knowledge as to the eligibility of the horse.

M'COY'S DEPOSIT COVERED.

New York, Feb. 10.—"Jack" Connolly of Pittsburg, manager of Peter Maher, called at The Police Gazette office yesterday. He covered "Kid" McCoy's forfeit of $500 and [illegible] to back Maher against McCoy [illegible] or $10,000 a side and the [illegible] of the world.

Connolly said: "I think that Maher is entitled to the first chance with McCoy if Fitzsimmons refuses to fight him. I am confident that Maher can beat McCoy. McCoy will no doubt refuse to meet Maher; he had already shown a disposition to ignore him [illegible] issued a challenge."

McCoy will be notified of Maher's challenge to him. Connolly stipulated that the fight must take place within six weeks after signing articles. If McCoy does not accept the offer within a reasonable time, the [illegible] will remain up and a challenge will be issued on behalf of Maher to any man in the world.

LEAGUE OF WHEELMEN.

St. Louis, Feb. 10.—The principal address at the first day's sitting of the delegates to the convention of wheelmen was that of Professor John Hamilton of Harrisburg, Pa., author of the Hamilton road bill, which is expected to do so much for the improvement of roads in Pennsylvania. The speaker in conclusion said: "The underlying and governing principle in all governments should be that the strong should aid the weak, and the logical and equitable method in this, not private or local, but most important public improvement, is for the state to undertake the work and thus enlist all interests and all of the people in the execution of this great enterprise, designed, constructed and maintained for public use."

THE PAWTUCKET NINE.

Pawtucket, R. I., Feb. 10.—Manager Whiting has practically completed his list of players for the Pawtucket nine of the coming season. Todd, who appears as a new pitcher, was reserved by Washington last year, but his release has been secured. The players are as follows: Buelow, catcher; McCafferty, Todd and Knorr, pitchers; Beaumont, first base; Stouch, second base; Coughlin, third base; Bone, shortstop; Weisbecker, left field; Whiting, center field, and News, right field and change catcher.

POLO PLAYERS ATTACKED.

Pawtucket, R. I., Feb. 10.—A number of the polo players were attacked by a mob as they were leaving the rink last night, and a number were considerably battered. The spectators were dissatisfied with the decision of Referee Doe at the game, and assembled outside the rink door for the purpose of attacking him. Doe managed to escape, and the crowd vented its wrath upon the players. The Providence men were pursued to the depot and snowballed all the way.

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Wilkesbarre, Pa., Feb. 10.—At the deputies' trial yesterday Ellery Benin, an undertaker of Hazelton, who buried 13 of the victims, gave their names and described their wounds, saying all were shot in the back except one who had a bullet in his forehead.

John Andreaski said: "As soon as I heard the shooting I fell down near the railroad tracks and about 30 yards from the deputies. They fired a volley and then a lot of separate shots, and the sheriff and two men ran right out of the line of deputies and upon the railroad track, crying out, 'Come back, you —— and we'll fix you,' to the fleeing strikers, at the same time shooting two or three times." The witness pointed out Frank Clark as one of two deputies with the sheriff; he could not identify the other. Court adjourned at this point. The commonwealth has about 100 more witnesses.

CHALLENGE TO A DUEL.

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 10.—A political sensation has been created by the publication of a letter from Colonel Thomas E. Moore of Bourbon county, a leading Democrat, denouncing Desha Breckinridge, son of Colonel W. C. P. Breckinridge, editor of The Herald, and suggesting a duel to settle their differences Colonel Moore is an ex-Confederate and is paralyzed in his right arm. He suggests that both use left arms. Colonel Moore was recently suggested as a penitentiary commissioner, and The Herald ridiculed him. This led to the challenge.

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Cotton Clothes Lines.	15c.	"
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MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon 6 1:40 p.m. | New Moon 20 2:56 p.m.

Third Quarter 13 7:51 p.m. | First Quarter 28 6:29 a.m.

THE WEATHER FORECAST.

While the weather [illegible] continue cloudy [illegible] two or three days [illegible] seems probable [illegible] temperature [illegible] continue warm [illegible] with southerly winds.

ALMANAC FOR TODAY [illegible]

Sun rises [illegible] a.m. Sun sets [illegible] p.m.

Moon rises [illegible] a.m.

High tide [illegible] a.m. [illegible] p.m.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1898.

Commodore Remey May Command North Atlantic Squadron.

In case Rear Admiral Sicard should be relieved of the command of the North Atlantic squadron, owing to his health, the officer who probably would stand the best chance of succeeding would be G. C. Remey, on duty as commandant of the Portsmouth navy yard. In any event Rear Admiral Sicard must be relieved from his present command during the coming summer, as he will be placed on the retired list on account of age on September 30 next.

He Never Will Resign

Naval officer Charles J. Stone of Boston was in town last evening and speaking of the changes in government officials in New Hampshire, remarked, "The thought of resigning has never entered my mind."

Additional Work Navy Yard.

Orders have been received at the navy yard to build a new 40 ton steam cutter for general use in the navy. This will give employment to an additional force of boat builders.

Everybody's liable to itching piles. Rich and poor, old and young, terrible the torture they suffer. Only one sure cure. Doan's Ointment. Absolutely safe can't fail.

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THEIR FIRST BALL.

The Electric Road Employes Score a Grand Success.

Peirce Hall a Kaleidoscope of all Nations ---Who They Were.

Peirce hall never held a larger and gayer crowd than it did last evening at the first masquerade ball given by the conductors and motormen of the Portsmouth, Kittery and York Street Railway.

The gallery was taxed to its utmost while on the floor the largest crowd was present in costume that was ever seen in a dance hall at a masquerade in this city.

Kittery, Kittery Point and York all sent over carloads of merry lads and lassies to the fete, all in costume and with the funmakers from this city made a combination hard to beat. As for costumes and makeups, last evening's fancy dress ball eclipsed all previous events of the kind ever seen here and it will be a long time before another such collection can be brought together. There were costumes fit for any king or queen to wear and on the other hand there were those that would make the worst hobo on the road blush with shame to be seen wearing, they were so ragged and patched. But all mingled together and the English dude did not seem to be a bit put out when a Weary Willie asked him for a light for his cigar.

Many of the costumes showed great originality in their construction and attracted much attention. The two little girl in green, with their short skirts and large fur trimmed hats, set many of the boys wondering who were behind the little cloth masks. Also the four witches, with their long pointed caps and flowing gowns.

One of the most prominent costumes seen on the floor and which attracted a great deal of notice and favorable comment, was the unique HERALD dress worn by Miss Eliza Place of Kittery. The young lady showed great tact and patience in making the costume, which was entirely constructed from headings of the PORTSMOUTH HERALD. Nothing but the headings of the paper were used, which made a very striking and handsome costume. Miss Place is a very charming young lady and carried off the honors of Portsmouth's favorite paper in regal style.

Eastman's orchestra, stationed on the stage amid a profusion of potted plants and palms, furnished the music for the dance and also rendered a most excellent concert preceding the same. The trombone solo by Mr. A. B. Cony was heartily applauded and showed what this young musician is capable of doing.

Promptly at nine o'clock line was formed for the grand march which was led by Conductor Jacob Drinkwater and Miss Jones and they were followed by about seventy-five couples. The march was a very brilliant affair and was watched with much interest by the large throng in the gallery.

Previous to the grand march the following gentlemen were selected to act as judges in awarding the prizes to the best dressed and worst dressed lady and gentman: Dr. S. F. Pickering, John E. Holland and George G. Simpson. Just before the unmasking, the result was given out as follows:

Best dressed lady, prize seven dollars Miss Leona Roberts, as a Spanish dancer; best dressed gentleman, Judson D. Neal in prince costum; worst dressed lady, prize three dollars, Miss Maggie McInnis, as a colored lady; worst dressed gentleman Arthur I Harriman, as a Jew pedler.

Dancing was kept up until long after midnight and very few of the dancers left the hall until the last number was over. The dance orders were very pretty affairs and made fine souvenirs of the occasion. The front cover contained a fine engraving of a fully equipped electric car.

When the party broke up everyone agreed that it was one of the best times they ever had and that the conductors and motormen of the P K and Y street railway are most excellent entertainers.

The following is a list of those present in costume;

Curtis Call, tramp
George Knight, Weary Willie
T J Stewart, fireman
R E Smith, English dude
A E Brann, Spaniard
J F Cochrane, Indian chief
Fred Abrams, clown
Thomas E Wilson, Charles II
W H Palfrey, sport
B Hanson, Little Lord Fauntleroy
Harry Pace, clown
E W Grover, fireman
Arthur Bowles, Weary Willie
Frank Hersey, Tired Tim
Walter Lydston, sailor
Harry Swett, evening suit
Thomas Pharaum, evening suit
Arthur I Harriman, Jew pedler
George Perry, Mexican
Nettie Locke, queen of flowers.
Georgie Webster, gypsy queen
Arthur Thurley, ghost
J Safford, Jew
Leonie Roberts, dancing soubrette
Mrs Arthur Thurley, Mrs Martha Hill, Mrs Frank Sides and Marion Rice, the four witches,
Jacob Drinkwater, Charles II
Frank Woods, Grecian lady
Harry Moore, negro
Stacey Hall, prince
Wilbur Shaw, hobo
Isaac Richardson, prince
J Will Rogers, Lord Chesterfield
Charles Faulkner, cadet
Fred Tucker, soldier
A E Lathrop, Spanish soldier
Margaret Sullivan, up-to-date bicycle girl
Mrs H C Thomas, summer
Mrs Carrie Merrill and Nellie Hoyt, two little girls in blue
Mrs George Wagner, Little Red Riding Hood
Annie Hanscom, evening dress
Estelle Reigleman, evening dress
Mrs R E Smith, rainbow
Mrs Charles Lovejoy, evening dress
Mrs Frank Hill, evening dress
Ella Mabel Waldron, fancy dress
Bertha Caine, America
Grace Watkins, Little Red Riding Hood
Bertha Laurock, schoolgirl
Mrs Frank Greenwood, schoolgirl
Theresa Burke, flower girl
Mrs A Meredith, fancy dress
Mrs Lottie Gresham, evening dress
Christine McDonald, nurse girl
Maggie McInnis, Topsy
Mrs George Moore, summer
Hattie Greenwood, summer
Margaret Knight, bicycle girl
Mrs Susie Hennessey, dancing girl
Mary Fredette and Sadie Agnew, two little girls in pink
Maud Dixon, sailor girl
Mabel Keagans, old lady
Lou Tripp, evening dress
Carrie Jackson, evening dress
Drury Paul, old-fashioned girl
May Paul, Goddess of Liberty
Annie Fredette and Minnie Prue, two little school girls
Nellie Clements, schoolgirl
Viola Critchley, fancy
Fannie Abrams, fancy
Mabel Lathrop, bluebell
Mrs John Walling, schoolgirl
Agnes Brown, winter
Daisy Stillson, sweet violet
Sadie Johnson, queen of cards
Edith Glines, morning
Maud Barrett, starlight
Mrs. J. Will Rogers, sunrise
Emily Place, newspaper
Flora Donnell, fancy
Alice Cottrell, evening dress
Alberta Brown, Spanish dancing girl
Rhea Edmunds, pink
Alice Bosworth, night
Hattie Lewis, Little Red Riding Hood
Bertha Rowe, Seabrook, Japanese maid
Annie Philbrick, summer
Sadie White, Spanish girl
Bertha Manson, Dolly Varden
Mrs Louise Allison, spring
Maud Brown, Spanish dancing girl
Pauline Blaisdell, scarlet poppy
Fannie White, violet

HOME AGAIN.

Old Hand Engine Piscataqua Warmly Welcomed Back to Portsmouth.

Portsmouth's Veteran Firemen were jubilant last evening over the arrival of the old hand tub Piscataqua back to its native home, where it did such excellent service in years past.

Arrangements were completed about two weeks ago for the purchase of the machine, which was the property of the town of South Berwick, but on account of the storm the "Vets" were unable to get the old relic to this city before yesterday.

With the bell proudly ringing and followed by a crowd of small boys, this old piece of apparatus, so dear to the hearts of all the veteran firemen, came down Vaughan and Congress streets to its future resting place in the "Vets" headquarters in the rear of the city building.

It was drawn here from South Berwick on a long sledge by three horses, coming by the way of Dover and Dover Point bridge. Captain Ford and two officers of the South Berwick company accompanied the engine here and in behalf of the former owners, presented the vets with the old banner that was made and presented to the old Piscataqua company nearly half a century ago when the late Solomon Seymour was foreman, by the ladies of Portsmouth. A silver trumpet presented to the company in 1890 was also in the gift. These souvenirs will always be treasured by the vets here and have a prominent place in their cozy quarters. The old machine was tested last evening and found to be in perfect order. In fact if anything should happen that our city was afflicted with a serious fire the old hand tub could be pressed into use and lend valuable aid, as it could be taken in places that our modern fire engines could not go.

K. A. E. O.

The Beser Senate, No. 602, K. A. E. O., will celebrate its first anniversary on Friday evening. The program includes a fine concert followed by a banquet at the New Marlboro on Pleasant street. A full attendance is desired; also bring a large appetite.

L. T. DAVIS, Ex. Senator.
A. I. HARRIMAN, Secretary.

Died at Brentwood

Theodore Hall, formerly of this city died at the county farm in Brentwood yesterday aged 80 years.

CITY BRIEFS.

A Great White Cloud of Success.

This weather is proving a snow eater.

The Cuban crisis is beginning to sizzle.

Five quarts of cranberries for a quarter at Chesley's.

Best Iceland halibut 12c. at the Globe Grocery Co.

Purchase your valentines of Hoyt & Dow, Stich Ban.

Ladies and gents box calf shoes for $2.00 at Knights.'

Hotel men's banquet at the Rockingham this evening.

The veteran firemen had plenty to talk about last evening.

Five pound box of the best butter for $1.00 at Chesley's.

New three crown raisans 5 pounds for a quarter at Chesley's.

Bram trial in March? Hope there won't be an April 1 verdict.

The ice men are not counting this a very favorable winter.

Valentines, all prices, wholesale and retail, at Hoyt & Dow's.

Cranberry beans, kidney beans, dried lima beans at Chesley's.

New maple sugar, Neuchatel cheese, new cocoanuts at Chesley's.

A good cigar is man's enjoyment. Next time try Dowd's Honest 10.

This is trying weather for people who are rheumatically inclined.

Call in and look over W. E. Paul's 5 10, 15, 20 and 25c. counters.

We had the fog, but New York had an elevated road collision besides.

A GREAT WHITE CLOUD OF SUCCESS.

W. E Paul has some big bargains on his 5, 10, 15, 20 and 25c counters.

The overseers of the poor held their regular monthly meeting last evening

Another session of the board of registrars was held at the city building yesterday.

The alleged conundrum monopoly promises to be a good deal of a grind on somebody.

With the absconding treasurer, it used to be South America, now it is the Klondike.

A prospect of some good sleighing to go with these magnificent moonlight nights.

Don't fail to call in W. E. Paul's Saturday evening and look over his bargain counter.

Good seats for the first night of the P. A. C. minstrels are to be had in the balcony rows.

If this sort of thing keeps on, one of these days somebody is going to see the first robin.

Mrs. Mary Spooner of New Bedford, aged 104, is entitled to everybody's congratulations.

This warm spell gives the shopkeepers a good opportunity to scrape the ice from their sidewalks.

How the same old hunting and fishing stories do come out at the annual dinners year after year.

The "S. G." Londres is made of the choicest stock and is the best ten-cent cigar in the market.

A GREAT WHITE CLOUD OF SUCCESS.

Another batch of presidential nominations and no New Hampshire names. This thing is becoming monotonous.

A prominent doctor continues in municipal favor to the rate of $500, for lectures on physical training to the girls.

Never were there more generous and spontaneous contributions in Boston than to the fire funds now being raised.

The only place to look for a larger corner than that just now owned by Joseph Leiter is in an obtuse-angled triangle.

If you wish to have comfort have your shoes tapped with rubber. We warrant every pair. John Mott, boot and shoe repairer.

A GREAT WHITE CLOUD OF SUCCESS.

"Pomp" Corbett says that he was cured of dyspepsia by that swipe in the plexus. Unfortunately it did not cure him of his talking habit.

Owing to a previous engagement at Durham Eastman's orchestra will be unable to furnish music at the hotel men's banquet this evening.

The Waldron bed shop in Farmington was destroyed by fire yesterday. The Granite State of this city had a $1000 policy on the building.

The HERALD acknowledges the receipt of an invitation to attend the banquet of Beser Senate, K. A. E. O., at their first anniversary Friday evening.

The members of Oak Castle, K. G. E., go to Dover by special train this evening where they will assist in the anniversary celebration of Coeur de Lion Castle of that city.

Every one purchasing groceries to the amount of 47 cents at Chesley's from now until February 19, will receive a free ticket to the Edison Graphoscope which will be at Music hall Feb. 17, 18 and 19

Sergeant Casey has a class of the Parochial school pupils practising the gun and bayonet drill and Dennis J. McGrath also has a class of nine pupils in the Indian club drill for the coming exhibition at Music hall.

POLICE COURT

L Gerber Fined One Cent For An Assault on James Conley

In police court yesterday afternoon before Judge Emery, L. Gerber, the Market street cobbler and James Conley, a knight of the road claiming to belong in Haverhill, Mass., were arraigned on warrants charging then with mutual assault. E. L. Guptill appeared for Mr. Gerber and waiving the reading of the warrant, pleaded not guilty. City Solicitor J. W Kelley was present and conducted the case for the state. Conley also entered a plea of not guilty and Mr. James C. Brown and Howard Philbrick were called as witnesses. After a deal of questioning and cross-questioning by the counsel for the defense and Solicitor Kelley, the court found both men guilty. But inasmuch as they both suffered considerable from their little fight. Judge Emery said he would consider that punishment enough and fined Gerber one cent without costs and gave Conley until six o'clock to get out of town.

Operation Avoided

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Jan. 27, 1898.—Mrs. Charles Bearse, the wife of a well known carpenter and prominent Odd Fellow in this city, residing at 24 Union street, has had a narrow escape from a painful surgical operation. Some time since an abscess appeared in the corner of her left eye. It increased and discharged and physicians thought an operation would be necessary. Mrs. Bearse decided to try the well known medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla, and after taking seven bottles the abscess was gone and only a slight scar remained.

Notice.

A special meeting of Portsmouth Council Knights of Columbus, will be held in G. A. R. hall this evening, Feb. 10, at eight o'clock.

W. T. MORRISSEY,
Financial Sec'y.

BORN.

CONNORS. In this city, Jan. 9th. to Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Connors, a son.

PICKERING. In Newington Feb. 5th. to Mr. and Mrs. Luther C. Pickering, a daughter.

DIED.

GENTLEMAN. In Wolfeboro, Feb. 6th. Mrs Gentleman, widow of Joseph Gentleman, formerly of this city.

JACKSON. In Halifax, N. S., Feb. 4th. Miss Vinie M Jackson, a sister of Mrs Clarence Joy of this city.

CASCARET stimulate liver, kidneys and bowels. Never sicken, weaken or gripe, 10c.

Veilings,

1 Lot of veilings in plain and chenille dots at only 5 cents per yard.

1 Lot of 25c. Veilings at only 15 cents per yard.

Worsted.

1 Lot of Split Zephyrs, regular price, 5 cents, to close at only 2 cents per lap.

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$1.00 Flannelette Night Robes, marked down to 59c a great bargain.

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1 ASTRACHAN FUR CAPE, worth $25.00, now $17

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1 ELECTRIC SEAL CAPE, length 30 inches, with Marten Collor, old price $31.00, new price $20

4 FINE KERSEY AND BOUCLE JACKETS, old prices $10.00 and $12.00, new prices $5 00, $6 00

Your choice of our FINEST JACKETS old prices $18.00, $20.00 and $2[illegible] new prices $12 50, $15 00, $16[illegible]

5 ELEGANT KERSEY JACKETS, worth $6.00 now $2[illegible]

1 ELECTRIC SEAL JACKET, size 36, old price $33.00, new price $[illegible]

3 ELECTRIC SEAL JACKETS, fine quality, size 36, 38 and 42, worth $45 00, now $[illegible]

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A special sale of Men's and Young Men's Suits, to close several lots of all wool Scotch Tweeds and Worsteads.

The lowest price suits in this lot worth $10. To close assortment of styles these suits are placed on a special table

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